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## Allowable Subject Matter

1. Claims 1-13 are allowed.

2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: prior art considered as a whole, alone or in combination, neither anticipates nor renders obvious peanut shaped displaceable locking bodies; bolt head and seat with cavities and means for rocking the locking member about their neck portions, together in combination with the rest of the limitations in the independent claim.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Hadi Shakeri whose telephone number is (571) 272-4495. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday.

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